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## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the proposed restriction requirement for the referenced application. Applicant elects invention II. consisting of claims 33-41 and 62, drawn to a method of treatment of ulcers, lymphoedema and prophlylactically of deep vein thrombosis, of the human or animal body, classified in class 128, subclass 898.

This election is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted.

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